



# The Raleigh Daily News.

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## IS THE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION TO BE PROFITABLE TO INDIVIDUAL PROFIT?

When the proposition was first made to have a centennial celebration in Philadelphia, on the fourth of July 1876, we were disposed to favor the project for several reasons, and expressed the hope that our State would be represented.

North Carolina did her full part in the Revolutionary war, and was as much entitled to rejoice over the completion of a century from the date of the declaration of Independence as any other State. But aside from the commemorative features of the occasion, it was proposed that all the States have an exhibition at the Centennial, specimens of their natural resources and development, and also the evidences of their progress in the useful arts, in order to show to the world the greatness and wealth of our country, and the advancement she has made in the arts and sciences in the course of one hundred years.

This is all well enough and highly commendable. But the Centennial Committee having the matter in charge, are now soliciting pecuniary aid from Congress. This of itself is a little suspicious, but if we investigate the plans and purposes of the Committee we are inclined to think the whole affair is a money-making project, to make patriotism tributary to the schemes of Yankee enterprise and cunning and to enrich certain individuals while the world is gazing in admiration and awe at the wonderful exhibition of American progress, power and glory!

The Centennial Exhibition is an incorporated joint stock company, and the object of the corporators seems to be to so manage the affair as to make the stock pay handsome dividends. The bonds to the amount of ten millions of dollars are to be issued in shares of ten dollars. This amount is to be used in providing suitable buildings and grounds for the exhibition, and to defray other expenses incident thereto, and the stock-holders are to receive the dividends, if any, to be derived from the proceeds of every source of profit connected with the celebration. Of course the principal revenue would be derived from the admission and entrance fees, but numberless schemes will be invented to yield money to the managers and to compel the patriotic visitors from all sections of the Union to contribute their mite, in some form cash "receipts," as "to-morrow" of indemnify the stock-holders against all loss, but to make the investment a profitable one.

From the lights before us, we incline to the opinion that the Centennial Exhibition is somewhat after the style of Gilmore's grand musical concert at Boston, intended for individual emolument and profit. In this view, the patriotic object is subordinated to mercenary motive, and the desire for gain supplants and over-rides all noble impulses.

We do not know whether Congress will make an appropriation or not in behalf of the Centennial, but we think the people who pay the taxes of the country will object very seriously to contributing the public treasure in aid of an individual enterprise, where the profits go into the pockets of the shareholders. With greater propriety, Congress might donate large sums to build Railroads for the benefit of private stockholders, because Railroads are beneficial to the sections through which they pass, and are great conveniences to the traveling public.

We are in hopes that the suspicous which have been excited against the managers of the Centennial Exhibition may prove unfounded, and that after all, the United States may have an exhibition at Philadelphia that will be creditable to the nation and to each and every State of the American Union.

**PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S POSITION ON EMANCIPATION.**

The colored men of this city celebrated the tenth anniversary of the emancipation proclamation at Metropolitan Hall yesterday.

It is natural that those who were formerly slaves should rejoice that they are free, and that they should commemorate the day of their liberation.

On the first day of January, 1863, the emancipation proclamation of Abraham Lincoln, then President of the United States, went into effect. It is right and proper that those upon whom the boon of freedom was conferred by that remarkable proclamation take part in the ceremonies of the emancipation anniversary.

In referring yesterday to Mr. Welles' History of Emancipation, we incidentally alluded to the circumstances attending the first Cabinet discussion on the subject of issuing the proclamation, and gave the views of some of the members who attended the meeting and participated in the discussion. We stated that Mr. Bates, of Missouri, favored the proclamation provided it was coupled with deportation—that is, that the colored men should be sent from the country, on the ground that the white and

black races could not live and thrive in social proximity.

According to Mr. Welles, who attended the meeting and who was at that time Secretary of the Navy, President Lincoln concurred in Mr. Bates' views in regard to the incompatibility of the races. We presume no one will doubt Mr. Welles' statement. He is a Republican after the straightest sect, and can have no motive in misrepresenting the views of Mr. Lincoln.

In corroboration of Mr. Welles' statement that Lincoln desired a separation of the races, our attention has been called to the following speech to the negroes, made by him, on the fourteenth of July, 1862, several weeks preceding his proclamation:

"I hold that the white and black races cannot dwell together." "I urge all intelligent colored men to exert themselves for colonization. I suggest Central America as the place. Many of you are free. Your race are suffering the greatest wrong ever inflicted on any people. Even when slavery ceases you will still be far from being on an equality with the white man. The aspiration of men is to enjoy equality with the best when free, but on this broad continent not a single man of your race is made the equal of a single man of ours."

Go where you are treated best, and the bar is still upon you. I present this as a fact, with which we have to do. It is better for both of us that we should be separated."

We allude to these facts as matters of history, and with no desire to cause any wounds to the feelings of the colored race.

We know that the memory of Mr. Lincoln is held by them in great reverence and justly so; but if a Southern man should propose to send the negroes to Central America or any other foreign land, he would be denounced as the enemy of the colored race and be regarded as a monster of heartlessness and cruelty.

### USURY.

Our exchanges, North and South, are discussing the principle of usury, and of course express various views in regard to the policy and wisdom of a high and low rate of interest.

Our legislature having voted down the bill increasing the rate of interest in this State, we presume nothing more will be done with the question this session.

We are in favor of the legal rate remaining as at present, six per cent, but advocate a higher rate than eight per cent, on special contracts, when the parties consent and make terms according to the circumstances of each individual transaction.

The present law allows eight per cent, on special contracts, but frequently the borrower is compelled to pay even higher rates, as there is no forfeiture of the interest is lost.

Thus the law is evaded, and the injury resulting from a high rate of interest is inflicted in spite of the State.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars of North Carolina capital flow annually to Virginia for investment on account of the low rate of interest in this State. This is lost to us—or if it comes back, it is because our people are compelled to go to Virginia for it, and borrow it there at Virginia rates.

The North Carolina law is not complied with on account of the small penalty attached to its violation, but the forfeiture of interest only.

If the rate for special contracts be increased to, say, twelve per cent, and heavy penalties imposed, it might have the effect of putting an end to the usurious contracts now so common in different portions of the State, where parties are frequently compelled to pay from fifteen to twenty per cent for the use of money.

Boston may be the "hub," and New York the "focus of civilization," but a Mr. Garfield has given figures that he claims "do not lie," to prove that the centre of gravity of population has been shifting westward for many years. In 1840 it was in Virginia, "near the eastern foot of the Appalachian chain." In 1850 it had moved to Parkersburg, West Virginia. In 1860 it was at Chillicothe, Ohio, and in 1870 it was forty-five miles northeast of Cincinnati. In future, the calculation is that the rate of progression will be slower. The different populations of the East and West, the North and South, will probably, before long, balance each other somewhere in the valley of the Mississippi; which would be well enough if it were not that such a fact will furnish the St. Louis papers with several very elaborate and earnest arguments for removing the Capitol from Washington to St. Louis, "situated in the valley of that great highway, the Mississippi, and in the very centre of the population of the United States."

Miss Florence Birney, a daughter of General Birney, has been learning to set type in the office of the *Decham*, (Mass.) *Gazette* for the past six months, and last week she went South to assist in editing a newspaper.

The revolution goes bravely on in Cuba. In the last two weeks the Cubans have made two brilliant dashes into the enemy's country and attacked with success fortified places.

A New Yorker is shabby enough to complain that it costs \$8,000 per annum to dress his only daughter.

From the Homeward Mail, of India]

### Astonishing Mesmeric Power.

A curious case of mesmerism is recorded by a civil surgeon of Hoshangabad. A young woman named Nunne, aged twenty-four, was married some 12 years ago; she, however, did not go to her husband's house for two years afterward. After staying with him for eight days, she suddenly became insensible, and remained so for two or three days. She was taken back to her mother, and soon got well. Then follows a very remarkable history. During the next four or five years she never entered her husband's house without falling insensible and remaining so. He was very kind and attentive to her; she liked him, but whenever he came into her presence she at once sank into this state. This went on till she became emaciated and exhausted, and at last the parents applied to the court for a separate maintenance for her.

While she was in court the husband entered, and she instantly became insensible, and was carried to the hospital, where the case was carefully attended to by Dr. Cullen, in March this year. While in this state her pulse was even, breathing soft, her body pliant, but she could eat nothing. Experiments were carefully made to see if there was no trick about it. While she was in bed, her husband was muffled up, and made to walk through the ward. She said she felt he was near her, and she was by no means well, but had not seen him anywhere about. Next day this experiment was repeated, and she actually became insensible, as before. When the husband left the place she recovered. The experiment as to the influence of the husband's presence was tried in all sorts of ways. He was made to pass behind her, and to be near her in a separate ward, but this had no effect, but whenever he was brought to look at her face, though muffled up, or disguised as a policeman, as a sepoys, and so forth, she was at once influenced.—

The experiments continued for about a month, and the conclusion was that the husband unconsciously mesmerized her. The court came to the conclusion that it was impossible that she could live with him, and a separate allowance was ordered. The husband was asked to try if he could not remove the effect, seeing that he had the power to cause it, but he was quite frightened at the idea of having the power, and could not control it in any way.

The indications are that the New Orleans *Times*, recently seized under an order in bankruptcy issued by Judge Durrell, will not be able to resume publication, as the claims filed against it since its seizure will force it into liquidation. The *Times*, however, started by Messrs. E. C. Hancock and ex-Judge Walker, former of the New Orleans *Times*, is already an established fact of no mean weight, having just purchased the whole of the printing establishment of the *National Republican*, No. 109 Gravier street, where it is now located. Its political course is to be that of the New Orleans *Times* of late with reference to Judge Durrell, hence the suppression of the older journal does not believe the Judge from the daily criticism which is supposed to have suggested his peremptory action in this matter.

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## STATE NEWS.

Lilesville, Anson county is to have a hotel.

CHARLOTTE concertized last evening at the Female Institute.

The Newbern *Liberator* says there is no coal in the City and wood \$8 per cord.

There are four saw mills in Newbern and all are worked to their full capacity.

A GRAND masquerade ball took place in the Wilmington City Hall last evening.

A NEW engin has just been received in Charlotte for the Atlanta and Richmond Air Line Railroad.

The people of Smithville, Brunswick county, are grumbling about a lack of proper mail facilities.

On Christmas morning a pocket-book containing \$125 was stolen from the Monumental Hotel in Richmond on Sunday morning.

Mr. Edward Lorraine, Chief Engineer of the James River and Kanawha Canal, died at his residence in Richmond Monday morning.

Dr. E. G. Vertagans, of Grason, died a few days since of small-pox, and three other members of the family are ill on the malady.

SANDY STEWART, one of the Wilmington street hands, fell down in a pit on one of the streets of that city Monday. He was sent to the hospital.

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The lecture of Prof. Daves, before the Wilmington Library Association on last Monday evening, is highly spoken of. The lecture was upon his experience and observations in the Holy Land.

The standing committee of the Episcopal Diocese of Illinois have objected to the appointment of a assistant Episcopal Bishop in this Diocese. It was necessary to obtain the consent of the standing committee in every Diocese in the country and then that of the House of Bishops.

Tim Charlotte *Observer* of the 31st, says that the examination of Mr. Jno. S. Means, Jr., arrested Sunday morning in Charlotte, on the charge of killing a negro was waived on Monday by agreement of counsel. Mr. Means entered into recognizance for his appearance at Court. The particulars of the affair are as follows:

It seems from the evidence in this case that Mr. Means and the negro met on the Beatties Ford road, about 5 miles from Charlotte last Tuesday, when they became involved in a difficulty, over a gun which the negro carried. Mr. Means being on horseback and the negro in a wagon. Mr. Means attempted to wrench the gun from the negro's hands, when, after a short scuffle, he released his hold and the negro losing his balance fell out of the wagon, one of the wheels passing over his body. He lived about six hours after the fall. Mr. Means then rode on to town, not knowing that the negro was dead until he was arrested Saturday night, as before stated. There seems to be no doubt that the death of the negro was the result of an unfortunate accident, and hence an examination before a Magistrate was not deemed necessary."

## GEORGIA NEWS.

The other day Savannah shipped cotton to the amount of \$512,524.

Mrs. Dr. J. T. Banks died in Griffin, on the 23rd inst. Also, Miss Nannie Milligan.

H. L. French, Esq., has been elected Mayor of Americus, and H. D. Randall, Clerk and Treasurer.

It has been telegraphed from Washington that Colonel Hogan had been removed as postmaster of Columbus, and Mr. Walter H. Johnson, clerk in the office, appointed in his stead.

Coroner Dewberry, on Christmas morning was called to hold an inquest over the body of James E. Greer, of Macon, who had come to his death by a pistol shot at the hands of his brother-in-law, N. C. Akridge. The inquest elicited very few facts relative to the homicide.

**A Sad Visitation of Providence—A Young Lady Falls Dead in Church A Few Minutes after Being Confirmed.**

On Christmas morning one of the saddest and most appalling incidents occurred at Christ church that has been known in this city. The morning services had been conducted, and the candidates for confirmation, ten in number, were invited to the altar. Of these was Miss Lizzie Spencer, a most estimable young lady, about sixteen years of age, daughter of Captain W. H. Spencer, who was occupying a seat in the middle of the gallery to the right on entering the church. She came down stairs and moved up the aisles with the others, her young face revealing the deep sadness which her heart felt. She approached the altar with the others, and was confirmed according to the rites of the church by Right Rev. Bishop Beckwith. After the confirmation ceremonies Miss Spencer returned to her seat in the gallery, and had scarcely taken it when her hand sank forward on the railing. Those in the vicinity attached no significance to this, imagining that it was merely an act of devotion, when suddenly the young lady sank from her seat and would have fallen upon the floor but for the promptness of Dr. W. H. Elliott (next whose pew she was sitting,) who caught her in his arms. Three or four gentlemen immediately approached and assisted in carrying her from the church. Considerable interest was occasioned in the congregation, whose attention was attracted to the commotion in the gallery but the general inference was that the young lady, overcome by her feelings, had fainted. Alas! such was not the case, the gentlemen who were tenderly carrying the almost lifeless form noticed going down the stairs that the gasps which now and then shook the frame grew fainter and fainter; on reaching the vestibule

"There life gave way, and the last rose breath, in that deep drawn sigh."

—*Savannah News, Dec. 27th.*

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

Governor Walker is on a visit to Philadelphia.

Richmond is agitated on the subject of vaccination.

A scarcity of houses to rent is complained of in Petersburg.

Washington and Lee University is worth \$600,000, and hopes to have \$1,000,000 soon.

Mr. George Weeden, the oldest citizen of Fairfax county, is dead, at the age of eighty six.

Carlotti Pitt accompanied by a host of celebrities give a concert in Richmond on Thursday.

An explosion of escaped gas took place the other day in the Petersburg jail. Much noise but no harm done.

Mr. John S. Barbour is laying out a new town at Arrington depot, Virginia, on the Orange and Alexandria railroad.

Mr. Wm. S. Rohr, clerk of one the Committees of the Senate, died at the Monumental Hotel in Richmond on Sunday morning.

There was only one death in Richmond last week. This is pretty good out of a population of 20,000.

Es SHERIFF SCOTT, of New Hanover county, who has been ill in Wilmington for the past week or two, is now convalescent.

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A new paper called the *Herald* will be started in Suffolk on the 3rd of January. T. E. Crapper, editor and proprietor, and J. C. Goosby, formerly of Richmond business manager.

Edward Reynolds, aged about 12 years, on Sunday morning fell from a fence in his father's yard in Manchester and broke his leg. Bad little boys always get hurt when walking fences on Sunday.

A colored boy aged 12 years, who ran away some two months ago from his fond mama in Petersburg named Amanda Brown, was found in the Whortleberry swamp in Sussex County. It is located directly on the State line, about thirty-five miles south of Norfolk.

Mr. Edgar Snowden, Jr., writes from Richmond to the *Alexandria Gazette*: "A movement is said to be on foot to bring out Judge Wm. J. Robertson, of Charlottesville, as the conservative candidate for Governor of Virginia, with Gen. James A. Walker, of Pulaski, for Lieutenant-Governor. Judge Robertson was for some years upon the bench of the Court of Appeals, and stands deservedly high as a lawyer and highly-touted gentleman. General Walker commanded the Stonewall brigade in the Confederate army, and is a member of the present House of Delegates."

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—*Georgia News.*

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## COMMERCIAL REPORT.

### WHOLESALE PRICES.

The quotations contained in the report below are based upon actual sales, and are obtained by our reporter from the most reliable merchants in the city.

The quotations represent wholesale prices only.

DAILY NEWS OFFICE, January 2, 1872.

COTTON.

Market steady. Receipts yesterday, 33 with sales of low middling at 18½¢; good ordinary, at 17½¢; ordinary at 16½¢.

General Market.

SALT—Firm and high \$3 00 & 10.

BUTTER—Good to choice mountain 25¢-35.

SUGAR—We quote A. 14½; B, 14; Extra C. 13½; C Yellow, 13½.

BAKING-Sugarhead—shoulders 7½¢; boned 9½¢; clear rib sides 9½¢; bulk shoulder 8½¢; flat sides 8½¢; Virginia—none in market.

FLOUR—Patapsco \$15½; Hope Mills Extra 15½; do. Extra \$9; North Carolina Extra 15½.

COFFEE—do. prime, 25; Laguna, 25; Java, 26½.

CORN—do. 10½.

MELTS—do. 10½.

PEAS—do. 10½.

WHEAT—Hogheads—shoulders 7½¢; boned 9½¢; clear rib sides 9½¢; bulk shoulder 8½¢; flat sides 8½¢; Virginia—none in market.

POTATOES—Irish, 1.25; sweet, 75.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST!

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STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS,

DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

AND GLASSWARE,

which can be found in any quantity and of

EVERY QUALITY

at my store. I have just laid in a

COMPLETE AND FULL ASSORTMENT OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

and would be pleased to show the same. Call and examine.

J. M. ROSENBAUM,

(Successor to A. Kline.)

Cor. Fayetteville and Hargett Streets,

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J. R. CARMER, A. C. T.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, SPICES, TEAS, DYE STUFFS AND GARDEN SEEDS,

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THURSDAY.....JANUARY 2, 1873

**HOW SOON FORGOTTEN.**

Oh, how soon we are forgotten,  
When we rest beneath the sod,  
And our feet no longer wander  
Over the paths we oft have trod;  
When the form that was so cherished  
With a love both pure and deep,  
Lies with earth's dark bark around,  
In its long, last, quiet sleep.

For a few days, it may be,  
The heart will be still and dear,  
When they meet around the heartstone,  
There will be a lack of cheer;  
As a vacation will be them,  
Or a vacation's been them,  
And their thoughts perhaps will wander,  
Where the dreamless sleepers lie.

But should stern fate deprive us  
Of a bright and cheerful home,  
And in weariness of spirit,  
O'er life's rugged way we run,  
When the golden boy is broken,  
And the soul comes to sadness,  
Twill excite no dread commotion  
In the palpitating breast.

Yet 'tis well it should be,  
In life's brief revolving years;  
Else this world of budding beauties  
Would be but a vain of years;  
While the soul comes to sadness  
And by sorrow overcast,  
Would enshrine the brightest hopes  
With sad memories of the past.

**DRINKING FROM A LADY'S SHOE.**—About a century ago it was an uncommon practice on the part of "fast men" to drink bumper to the health of a lady out of her shoe. The Earl of Cork, in an amusing paper in the *Connoisseur* (No. 19), relates an incident of this kind; and, to carry the compliment still further, he states that the shoe was ordered to be dressed and to be served up for supper. "The cook set himself seriously to work upon it; he pulled the upper part (which was of fine damask) into fine shreds, and tossed them up in a *ragout*, minced the soles, cut the wooden heel into thin slices, fried them in batter, and placed them round the dish for garnish. The company testified their affection for the lady by eating heartily of this exquisite *impromptu*." Within the last score of years, the writer was present at a dinner of Irish squires, when the health of a beautiful girl, whose foot was as pretty as her face, was drunk in champagne from one of her satin shoes which an admirer of the lady had contrived to obtain possession of.—*London Atheneum.*

**SECRET WORTH KNOWING.**—An able writer gives utterance to the valuable secret:

"This looking forward to enjoyment don't pay. For what I know of it, I would as soon chase butterflies for a living, or bottle moonshine for a cloudy night. The only way to be happy is to take the drops of happiness as God gives them to us every day of our lives. The boy must learn to be happy while he is making his fortune. If he fails to learn this art, he will be sure to miss his enjoyment when he gains what he has sighed for."

**AVOID IT.**—The evil arising from taking upon Scripture is greater than at first appears. It leads, in general, to irreverence for Scripture. When we have heard a comic or vulgar tale connected with a text of Scripture, such is the power of association, that we rarely hear the text afterward without thinking of the jester. The effect of this is obvious. He who is much engaged in this kind of vice will come at length to have a large portion of Holy Scripturte spattered over by his unholly fancy.

**GREAT LIES AND SMALL.**—We think a great lie a great sin, and a great shame to man; but, after all, little lies are much more dangerous, because there are so many of them, and because each one of them is diamond-pointed. And these little, petty untruths, which are so small that we do not notice them, and so numerous that we cannot estimate them, are the ones that take off the very enamel of the moral sense—cut away its surface.

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